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In connection with the above-identified application, Applicant hereby attaches U.S. Patent Office Form PTO-1449, including a copy of the reference listed thereon together with the English language abstract. This reference was first cited in a Korean Office Action dated November 13, 2002 of the corresponding Japanese patent application. Enclosed is the Japanese language Korean Office Action, together with an English translation of the relevant portions thereof. The claims in the present application are believed to be patentably distinguishable over this reference.

This information disclosure statement is being made pursuant to the duty of disclosure imposed by law and formulated in 37 CFR 1.56(a). No representation is made that the information thus disclosed in fact constitutes prior art or that it is the closest prior art, inasmuch as 37 CFR 1.56 (a) relies on a materiality concept which depends on subjectivity.

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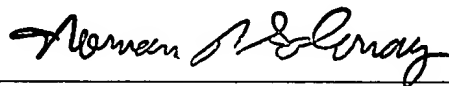
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The enclosed Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted within three months of the Korean Office Action, as certified in the attached Certification for Information Disclosure Statement.

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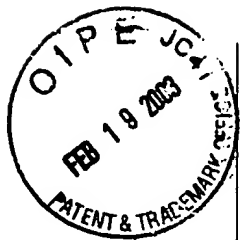
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